

Table 8. Land: 2002 and 1997

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	2002		1997	All farms	2002		1997
	Total	Percent of total			Total	Percent of total	
LAND USE				LAND USE - Con.			
Farms number	44,081	100.0	45,808	Total cropland - Con.			
Land in farms acres	10,414,877	100.0	10,659,777	Other cropland - Con.			
Total cropland farms	27,348	62.0	30,792	Cropland in cultivated			
Harvested cropland acres	3,715,257	35.7	3,610,304	summer fallow farms	437	1.0	254
Farms by acres harvested:	20,495	46.5	23,520	acres	32,676	0.3	46,454
1 to 49 acres	2,313,537	22.2	2,434,379	Total woodland farms	11,048	25.1	11,337
50 to 99 acres	15,766	35.8	18,512	acres	2,485,733	23.9	2,214,235
100 to 199 acres	8,290	18.8	10,166	Woodland pastured farms	6,067	13.8	5,436
200 to 499 acres	3,471	7.9	3,877	acres	1,559,261	15.0	1,122,143
500 to 999 acres	1,982	4.5	2,241	Woodland not pastured farms	6,504	14.8	7,527
1,000 acres or more	2,023	4.6	2,228	acres	926,472	8.9	1,092,092
100 to 199 acres	1,837	4.2	1,998	Pastureland and rangeland, other than			
200 to 499 acres	1,212	2.7	1,160	cropland and woodland pastured			
500 to 999 acres	948	2.2	1,021	(see text) farms	19,461	44.1	13,589
1,000 acres or more	371	0.8	452	acres	3,400,193	32.6	4,184,037
1,000 to 1,999 acres	361	0.8	377	Land in house lots, ponds, roads,			
2,000 acres or more	190	0.4	203	wasteland, etc farms	21,838	49.5	24,949
Cropland used only for	171	0.4	174	acres	813,694	7.8	651,201
pasture or grazing farms	9,940	22.5	11,969	CROP INSURANCE, CONSERVATION,			
acres	1,104,890	10.6	867,561	AND ORGANIC PRACTICES			
Other cropland farms	3,806	8.6	4,253	Land enrolled in Conservation			
acres	296,830	2.9	308,364	Reserve or Wetlands			
Cropland idle or used for				Reserve Programs farms	1,281	(X)	1,919
cover crops or soil-improvement,				acres	97,267	(X)	140,132
but not harvested and not				Land used to raise certified			
pastured or grazed (see text) farms	2,762	6.3	(NA)	organically produced			
acres	233,443	2.2	(NA)	crops (see text) farms	207	0.5	(NA)
Cropland on which all				acres	3,427	(Z)	(NA)
crops failed farms	1,002	2.3	433	Land enrolled in Federal or other crop			
acres	30,711	0.3	15,082	insurance programs (see text) farms	3,582	8.1	(NA)
				acres	1,073,477	10.3	(NA)